Private Hydro Power Projects

†*274. SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there are certain projects in Hydel power generation sector in the country generating less power than their capacity;

(b) if so, the facts in this regard;

(c) whether Government have formulated such projects for Hydel power generation where private sector has been assigned responsiblity of construction; and

(d) if so, the projects under construction by private sector in hydel power sector?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SHINDE): (a) There are seven hydro power stations in the country which are generating less power than their rated capacities.

(b) The names of hydro stations, their installed capacity, present capacity, reduction in capacity and reasons there of are given in the Statement (See below).

(c) and (d) Water including hydro power is a State subject under the Constitution and States are allocating hydro-electric projects to private sector. At present, seven hydro-electric projects with aggregate installed capacity of 2191 MW are under construction in the private sector. The details of these projects are given in Statement II.

Statement-I

Details regarding hydro stations and their capacity

SI. No	Name of Power Station/ State/ Agency	Installed Capacity (MW)/ Year of commissioning	Present Capacity (MW)	Reduction in Capacity	Reasons for reduction in Capacity
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Tanakpur Uttaranchal NHPC	120MW 1991-92 1992-93	94.2	25.8	Reduction in operating head to prevent sub-mergence in Nepal

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1	2	3	4	5	6
2.	Loktak Manipur NHPC	105 MW 1983-84 1984-85	90	15	Redution in operating head due to increase in head loss in water conductor system. Renovation and Modernization (R&M) works scheduled for completion in March, 2008
3.	Chiplima Orissa OHPC	72 MW 1962-63 1963-64	64.56	7.44	Reduction in carrying capacity of power channel due to problem of weeds.
4.	Rihand U.P. UPJVNL	300 MW 1962-63	260	40	Ageing of units. The Power Station is under R&M for restoration of original capacity
5.	Kotla unit-l Punjab BBMB	29.25 MW 1956-57 1961-62	26.92	2.33	Aging of units. The Power Station is under R&M for restoration of original capacity
6.	Lower Jhelum, J&K J&KPDC	105 MW 1979-80	90	15	Aging of units. The Power Station is under R&M for restoration of original capacity
7.	Ramganga, Uttaranchal UJVNL	198MW 1975-76 1976-77	180	18	Aging of units. R&M works are yet to be taken up.

Abbreviations:

NHPC - National Hydro Power Corporation Limited.

OHPC - Orissa Hydro Power Corporation Limited.

UPJVNL - Uttar Pradesh Jal Vidyut Nigam Limited.

BBMB - Bhakra Beas Management Board.

J&KPDC - Jammu and Kashmir Power Development Corporation.

UJVNL - Uttaranchal Jal Vidyut Nigam Limited.

Statement-Il

List of Hydroelectric Projects (above 25 MW) under execution in Private Sector

SI. No	Name of the Project	State	Implementing Agency	Installed Capacity (MW)
1	Allain Duhangan	Himachal Pradesh	Allain Duhangan Hydro Power Limited	192
2.	Karcham Wangtoo	Himachal Pradesh	Jaiprakash Karcham Power Corporation Limited	1000
3.	Budhil	Himachal Pradesh	Lanco Energy Pvt. Limited	70
4.	Malana-ll	Himachal Pradesh	Everest Power Co.	100
5.	Chujachen	Skkim	Gati Infrastructure Ltd.	99
6.	Maheshwar	Madhya Pradesh	Sri Maheshwar Hydro Power Corp, Ltd.	400
7.	Srinagar	Uttaranchal	GVK Industries Ltd.	330
		TOTAL		2191

Payment of incorrect salary to teachers

†*275. SHRI UDAY PRATAP SINGH: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether instances of forcing of public school teachers by school administrators to sign on inflated salary has come to the notice of Government;

(b) if so, the action being taken by Government against these schools; and

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(c) the rules laid down to give full salary to teachers appointed in these schools, as per their qualifications?

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